OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL, SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 2nd February 1949.

The following Public Examinations will be conducted by the School of Engineering, Bangalore, in April - May 1949.

Name of the Examination	Date of commencement.	Fees
		Rs.
First Examination for Diploma in Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering (Revised Scheme) and First Examination for Certificate in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering (Revised Scheme).	25th April 1949 ...	15
Examination for Certificate of eligibility for employment under R. D. S.	Do ...	15
Final Examination for Diploma in Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering (Revised Scheme).	Do ...	20
Final Examination for certificate in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering (Revised Scheme).	Do ...	15
For one remaining subject under any examination not yet completed.	Rs. 5 for each subject.	

The detailed Time-Table will be published in due course. Application forms to appear for any of the above Examinations can be had from the office of the undersigned on and after the 14th February 1949.

The last date for submission of applications to the undersigned is 14th March 1949.

Private candidates have to submit their applications through the Heads of Institutions in which they had studied previously.

Examination fees will be received at the school office between 1st and 12th March 1949 between 11 A.M. and 1 P.M. on all working days.

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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC BRANCH.

Election of Members to the Insurance Committee.

It is hereby notified that a meeting of the policyholders of the Public Branch will be held on 27th March 1949 at 3 P.M. (office time) in the office building of the Department, Cubbon Park, Bangalore, for electing five Members to the Insurance Committee. The rules regarding the conduct of the election are detailed below for the information of the policyholders.

Subject.

Rules for the Election of Members to the Insurance Committee by the policyholders of the Public Branch.

Qualifications of Elected Members of the Insurance Committee.

I. (1) A person shall not be eligible for election as a Member of the Insurance Committee —

(*a*) Unless he holds otherwise than by way of assignment or transfer one or more policies of life insurance issued by the Public Branch satisfying the following requirements :—

(i) The policies shall be Whole-Life policies or Endowment Life Insurance policies and not encumbered in any way, and

(ii) The total sum assured by the policies is not less than Rs. 5,000 (Public Branch Rule 4, Note (3).

(iii) The policies shall have been in force for three full years on 30th June 1948.

Or

(*b*) If he is or was a legal or technical adviser, Agent, or employee of the Insurance Department.

(*c*) If he is an employee in the service of the Mysore Government.

(2) If at any date after election as a Member, a person ceases to hold one or more policies satisfying all the requirements specified in clause (*a*) of sub-rule (1), or begins to hold any disqualifying office or employment specified in clause (*b*), he shall forthwith cease to be an elected Member of the Insurance Committee.

II. (1) The applications from eligible persons prepared to accept office as elected Members of the Insurance Committee shall be sent by registered post to the Head Office so as to reach it not less than ten days before the date of the meeting. Such applications shall be written in English or Kannada. If the number of applicants eligible for election is equal to or less than the number of Members to be elected, all such applications shall be deemed to have been elected as Members and it shall not be necessary to hold the meeting of policyholders as previously announced, policyholders being intimated forthwith by notice of the cancellation of the meeting.

(2) Every policyholder who desires to attend the meeting shall apply to the Mysore Government Insurance Department for a certificate of admission, such application to reach the Head Office *not less than fifteen days before the date of meeting*, and on being satisfied that the applicant holds a policy issued by the Public Branch for an aggregate sum of Rs. 5,000 or more (Public Branch Rule 4, Note (3) and current on 30th June 1948, the Department shall issue a certificate to him at least five days before the date of meeting. Such certificates shall, if applied for by post, be sent only to the address of the policyholder, or if applied for in person, be deliveres only on production of the relevant policy or policies. A certificate of admission shall not be transferable.

(3) No person other than those whose presence is necessary for the conduct of the meeting shall be admitted to the meeting unless he produces the certificate of admission granted to him under sub-rule 2.

(4) The meeting shall be presided over by the President of the Insurance Committee or any Member nominated by him.

(5) Votes for the election of Members may be given at the meeting either personally or by proxy and in the manner hereinafter provided in this rule. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointer in favour of the policyholder; and shall be presented at the Head Office not less than five days before the date of the meeting.

(6) Every policyholder present at the meeting shall be given one voting paper on his own behalf and one voting paper in respect of each proxy, if any, which he holds. The number of votes to be given to each voting paper shall not exceed the number of Members to be elected and not more than one vote shall be given on each voting paper to any one candidate.

(7) The votes shall be counted by scrutineers appointed by the President. The result of the ballot shall be published in the *Mysore Gazette* after it is approved by the Government.

(8) An election held in accordance with this rule shall not be invalid merely by reason of the accidental omission to send any notice or other document to, or the non-receipt of any notice or other document by any one, or any other accidental irregularity or informality in the observance of the provisions of this rule.

(9) The tenure of a Member once elected according to these rules will be for three years, with effect from 1st January 1949.

(10) In the event of a casual vacancy arising among the Members elected in accordance with these rules, the President may fill up the vacancy, with the approval of the Government by appointing a policyholder who is eligible under Rule 1 and the person so appointed shall be subject to retirement at the same time as the Member in whose place he is appointed, would have retired had he held by the said office.

NOTE.—All applications connected with election must contain the name of the policyholder, the correct policy number, the name of the treasury or bank where the premia are credited in cash or in deduction cases, the name of the Department by which the premia are recovered. The correspondence must be superscribed "Election" and must be properly stamped by the policyholder.

1056 F. THUMBOO CHETTY, *Secy.*

OFFICE OF THE RATIONING OFFICER, BANGALORE CITY.

Notification dated 12th February 1949.

A4. 110—48-49. It is hereby notified for the information of the Ration Cardholders in Bangalore City that as the cages provided for making entries of issue of rations on the existing ration cards do not admit of entries being recorded after 2 th February 1949. Printed slips providing for entries from March onwards have been issued to the several Foodgrains Distributing Centres in Bangalore City for being pasted to the Ration Cards.

2. Ration Card-holders are requested to have the extension slips pasted to their ration cards in their respective D. Centres to which the cards are assigned. The slips will be pasted at the top only, without being completely gummed throughout as it is necessary to have scope for referring to previous entries, made in the previous months.